

“Wow What A Year”

Thanks to everyone who supported us in our 1st year. The shops transition to “mainly” patchwork has been a huge adventure, with trial and error at most corners.

We have tried to take onboard as many of your suggestions as possible so that you, our valued customer, has important input into our growth. We have a fabulous program for you in 2012. Lots of new projects and teachers to vary the ideas we can pass on to you.

In the first half of the year we are introducing you to Block of the Month Quilts. William Morris is our 1st run. We will soon have the kits to start for “An Early Grey Moment” and an “Amish Affair”. These we will run later in the year. Sharon is still the patchwork Guru and will take you forward and out of your comfort zone with both Patchwork and Hand Embroidery.

Toni is teaching Dressmaking for both children and adults and her amazing knowledge and flair will take you far beyond the basic patterns you have become accustomed to. Jill and Kerry will be teaching Machine Embroidery even with a UFO day and Computer Techniques as part of the program.

Debbie who you may know from Pioneer Village is going to show you varied facets of Beading not only Jewellery making but Embellishing as well. Very exciting times - I may even be missing from the shop on those days.

Jan will still be our fearless leader when Machine or Overlocker info is required. She knows all.

Carol Brady will be back to teach Machine Quilting, as will Rosalie to show the techniques of the amazing Bargello patchwork.

Michelle who is our “tech head” and maintenance person has learned heaps this year about machines and fabric and is happy to help wherever she can. Crazy patchwork being her present addiction.

Annie our ever helpful sales lady can answer any patchwork or quilting question you throw at her. She has many years of experience in the rag trade and has lost count of the quilts she has completed.

THREE REASONS FOR BUYING FABRIC
I WANT IT
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Join us for a laugh any time. We are all happy to assist whenever you require a helping hand and if you just need to browse, have a chat or a coffee you are most welcome to do that too.

Love and Laughter

HAPPY SEWING

Helen and the Team

Class Schedule 2012

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Know Your Sewing Machine

3 hour workshops – Learn how to master your sewing machine

Level 1 – The Basics \$60 for 3 hours

Workings of the machine, threading, maintenance, tensions, needle and threads, basic stitching, buttonholes

Wed 1st February 2012 6.00pm – 9.00pm

Wed 7th March 2012 6.00pm – 9.00pm

Wed 2nd May 2012 6.00pm – 9.00pm

Wed 27th June 2012 6.00pm – 9.00pm

Level 2 – Sewing Essentials \$60 for 3 hours

Sewing elastic, blind hemming, over-casting, sewing denim, corded buttonholes, stretch sewing

Wed 29th February 2012 6.00pm – 9.00pm

Wed 21st March 2012 6.00pm – 9.00pm

Wed 16th May 2012 6.00pm – 9.00pm

Wed 18th July 2012 6.00pm – 9.00pm

Level 3 – Lets Get Creative \$60 for 3 hours

Includes instruction for beautiful heirloom cushion. Pintucking, beading, twin needle, wing needle and decorative stitching.

Wed 30th May 2012 6.00pm – 9.00pm

Intro to Overlocking \$60 for 3 hours

Perfect introduction to overlocking for those who have a new machine. Learn to thread, alter tensions, 4 thread overlock & hem

Wed 14th March 2012 6.00pm – 9.00pm

Advanced Overlocking – 2 day course \$120.00

Intensive course covering all overlocking techniques, pressure feet and attachments. Threading, maintenance, tensions, 2, 3 & 4 thread overlocking, roll hem, lettuce edging, overlocking elastic, flatlocking, serging in circles

2 x 5 hour classes

Tues 27th March 2012 10.00am – 3.00pm

Wed 11th April 2012 10.00am – 3.00pm

Jenny Haskins Club \$35

Monthly workshops for members who have an embroidery machine and are lovers of Jenny Haskins projects.

Club meetings are each month

Tues 7th February 2012 9.30am – 2.30pm

Wed 8th February 2012 9.30am – 2.30pm

Tues 6th March 2012 9.30am – 2.30pm

Wed 7th March 2012 9.30am – 2.30pm

Tues 3rd April 2012 9.30am – 2.30pm

Wed 4th April 2012 9.30am – 2.30pm

Tues 1st May 2012 9.30am – 2.30pm

Wed 2nd May 2012 9.30am – 2.30pm

Tues 5th June 2012 9.30am – 2.30pm

Wed 6th June 2012 9.30am – 2.30pm

Tues 3rd July 2012 9.30am – 2.30pm

Wed 4th July 2012 9.30am – 2.30pm

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Machine Embroidery Club with Jill \$35

Monthly workshops for Machine Embroidery.

Tues	21 st February 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	24 th February 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Tues	20 th March 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	23 rd March 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Tues	24 th April 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	27 th April 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Tues	15 th May 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	18 th May 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Tues	19 th June 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	22 nd June 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Tues	24 th July 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	27 th July 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm

Machine Embroidery Appliqué with Kerry \$35

On one day a month learn this great technique and make the "Harvey's Garden" blocks and piece to make a great quilt

Thurs	2 nd February 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Thurs	1 st March 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Thurs	5 th April 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Thurs	3 rd May 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Thurs	7 th June 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Thurs	5 th July 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm

Sit and Stitch with Jill \$35

An opportunity for you to finish any UFO's on machine embroidery items. Jill will be here to assist

Wed	15 th February 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Wed	9 th May 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm

Computer Work for Machine Embroidery \$35

Are you puzzled by how this technology works on your computer and machine? Problems solved with Jill's day of Q & A's and more knowledge for you to stash away.

Wed	14 th March 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Wed	13 th June 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm

Latte Quilt with Jill \$35

Come along and be inspired to rekindle your love of sewing using your Embroidery Machine's Stitches, Embroidery Motifs and Free Hand Quilting.

Wed	29 th February 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Wed	28 th March 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Wed	16 th May 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Wed	27 th June 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Wed	25 th July 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm

Sit and Sew Club Day

9.30am - 2.30pm	Every Monday	\$25
5.30pm - 8.00pm	Every Thursday	\$15

Bring your own project to work on or finish. Great to finish UFO's. A happy gathering for like minded ladies. A teacher will be working in the shop but will be available to help out if required.

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Dressmaking Workshops

Learn to dress make for yourself or family in 3 modules

Skirts 3 weeks \$100

Fri	3 rd February 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	10 th February 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	17 th February 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	4 th May 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	11 th May 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	25 th May 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm

Shirts 3 weeks \$100

Fri	2 nd March 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	9 th March 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	16 th March 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	1 st June 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	8 th June 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	15 th June 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm

Trousers 2 weeks \$70

Fri	30 th March 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	13 th April 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	6 th July 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Fri	13 th July 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm

Our qualified dress cutter and designer will take you through each module which will cover the fundamentals of understanding patterns, fitting, placement and cutting. Facings, bands, zips, buttons and button holes, hemming will all be covered.

Book into all three classes now
and only pay \$220 Save \$50

Children's Dressmaking Classes

\$100 per Term or \$15 per class

10 years upwards During Term 1 1st February - 4th April 2012
During Term 2 2nd May - 4th July 2012

Please note Term must be paid in full at the beginning.

Wednesday's 3.30pm - 5.00pm

Great start for kids to learn all the basics from pattern reading to making garments. You will need your own sewing machine- must be in good working order. We supply and teach you how to use an overlocker.

Children's Patchwork Classes

\$100 per Term or \$15 per class

10 years upwards During Term 1 1st February - 4th April 2012
During Term 2 2nd May - 4th July 2012

Please note Term must be paid in full at the beginning.

Friday's 3.30pm - 5.00pm

Great start for kids to learn all the basics of patchwork, hand sewing, general craft projects eg bags and cushions. You will need your own sewing machine - must be in good working order.

Class Schedule 2012

WORKSHOPS

Beginners Patchwork - 10 weeks \$300

Learn to make this great sampler quilt of 10 or 20 blocks. This will take you through basic piecing through to advanced techniques including appliqué and some hand stitching.

Thurs	16 th February 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Thurs	23 rd February 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Thurs	15 th March 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Thurs	29 th March 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Thurs	12 th April 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Thurs	10 th May 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Thurs	17 th May 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Thurs	31 st May 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Thurs	21 st June 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm
Thurs	28 th June 2012	9.30am - 2.30pm

Beading \$40

What a great year ahead for this new subject.

Beginners jewellery to start the year. You will make earrings and a pendant.

Thurs 8th March 2012 10.00am - 2.30pm

Today make a personalised pendant using the technique of metal stamping either with copper or sterling silver.

Thurs 26th April 2012 10.00am - 2.30pm

Beading making bracelets, chokers or wedding accessories is on today's menu

Thurs 24th May 2012 10.00am - 2.30pm

Advanced embellishing will be covered today using a variety of mediums including paper, fabric and metal

Thurs 14th June 2012 10.00am - 2.30pm

Wire setting for large beads or stones or even your favourite

Dichroic pendant will be what's on for today

Thurs 26th July 2012 10.00am - 2.30pm

Rulers, Cutters, Boards \$45

Prerequisite to Beginners Patchwork - Learn to use your rulers, cutters and boards correctly while making a table runner.

Thurs 9th February 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

Sat 3rd March 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

Block of the Month \$35 (plus kit price TBA)

William Morris - Morris Meadows

Beautifully appliquéd quilt featuring fabrics from In the Beginning and Michelle Hill. Fabric range used Morris Meadows

Tues 14th February 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

Tues 13th March 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

Tues 10th April 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

Tues 22nd May 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

Tues 12th June 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

Tues 10th July 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

Bag Making \$45

Various types of bags, small, large, patchwork and even plastic coated will be covered on this fab day, Cheryl and Jenny will provide a fun and imaginative encounter.

Sat 25th February 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

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Raggedy Edge Quilting \$45

Quilt as you go with this cosy quilt. Great made in flannelette or cotton. Cot size, lap size or bed size, you can easily adapt it. Scraps or new innovations easy. As the last square is sewn on the quilt is finished! Ya Check out our quilts on display in the shop

Tues 28th February 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

Hand Embroidery Techniques \$35

Learn the gentle art of Hand Work, including Hexagons and Ribbon Roses - having a take anywhere project.

Thurs 8th March 2012 10.00am - 2.30pm

Thurs 26th April 2012 10.00am - 2.30pm

Thurs 24th May 2012 10.00am - 2.30pm

Thurs 14th May 2012 10.00am - 2.30pm

Thurs 26th June 2012 10.00am - 2.30pm

Bargello \$45

An intricate quilt with an amazing finish. Many styles and colours to use. See our display hanging in the shop.

Thurs 22nd March 2012 9.30am - 4.30pm

Raw Edge Appliqué \$45

This technique has many applications. Make a table runner today.

Sat 31st March 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

Domestic Machine Quilting \$45

Carol will run you through several types of machine quilting. You will be able to use your samples later or just keep for reference

Tues 8th May 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

Shasiko Embroidery \$45

This class teaches you the gentle art of Japanese Embroidery and Shasiko Hand Appliqué. Contrasting produces great results as quilting or designs.

Sat 12th May 2012 10.00am - 2.00pm

Calisto Patio Tiles \$45

Quick and simple quilt. Good for beginners. Fabulous for feature fabrics.

Tues 29th May 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

Jelly Roll Quilt \$45

1 Jelly Roll, 1 Quilt - The best thing about Jelly Rolls - Non fattening sugar free, no cholesterol.

Sat 16th June 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

Disappearing Nine Patch Variation \$45

Come along and learn a new twist on a popular traditional block.

Tues 26th June 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

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Log Cabin Techniques \$45

Log Cabin is a favourite block, here you will learn how to make this very easy block and the different settings which make each quilt unique.

Fri 29th June 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

Quilt As You Go \$45

Learn quilt as you go technique to make a lovely wall hanging or child's cot quilt.

Sat 30th June 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

Crazy Quilt Techniques \$45

Discover how to add beauty and dimension to your quilts using beads, embroidery and more

Tues 31st July 2012 9.30am - 2.30pm

If you are a sewing group - come along anytime and we will provide morning or afternoon tea and give you all 20% discount off your purchases.

Also if you have any suggestions on classes you'd like us to run please let us know.

Our web site is up and running at www.sewingperth.com.au

If you would like this Newsletter emailed to you please let me know at michelle@southlandssewingcentre.com.au
Thanks

Products such as sewing machines will only be exchanged or refunded within 7 days of date of purchase and only if they are faulty. Proof of purchase is required.

CLASS BOOKING TERMS AND CONDITIONS

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE BOOKING A CLASS
Bookings will only be taken with full payment. Classes are Not transferable and refunds will only be given if a class is cancelled. Classes will only be run if the minimum numbers of attendees are reached.

You can book and pay for classes over the phone or in person.
We offer 15% off your purchases on the day and have morning and afternoon tea with tea, coffee and cold water available.
Your sewing machine must be in good working order for your class.

HAPPY SEWING